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#### DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION

2007–2008 School Year Reports

Dear School Board Members and School Personnel:

The Maine Educational Assessment (MEA) is the State's measure of student progress in achieving the State standards known as *Learning Results*, adopted by the Maine Legislature in 1997. These *Learning Results* established goals for what all students should know and be able to do at certain times in their school careers and are the basis for Grade Level/Span Expectations, which describe the assessment standards for each grade. The MEA is administered to students in all grades 3 through 8 to meet state assessment requirements and the requirements of the federal *No Child Left Behind* Act.

The 2007-2008 MEA summary reports contain the results of student achievement in reading and mathematics at all grades, science and technology at grades 4 and 8, and writing at grade 5 based on achievement standards set in 2006 and disaggregated by student and school characteristics. This report, together with MEA individual student and subject-specific class analysis reports, provides support for use in program evaluation and planning.

MEA results reflect scores based on test questions that are taken in common by the approximately 15,000 students in each grade level. Students' scores in each content area are based on answers to a combination of multiple-choice questions and questions that require students to construct an answer. The grade 5 writing reports provide information on a student's ability to respond to a prompt measuring narrative writing. More information about the design of the MEA is available at www.maine. gov/education/mea/index.htm.

I look forward to working with you in support of our continued efforts to improve the quality and effectiveness of the instructional opportunities designed to help all students achieve the high standards of the *Learning Results* and demonstrate that achievement through performance on the Maine Educational Assessment.

Sincerely,

Susan A. Gendron

Commissioner of Education

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### School Report Grade 7

Test Date: March 2008

Code: 10281203

SAU: Calais School Department

School: Calais Middle/high School

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### **SUMMARY OF SCORES**

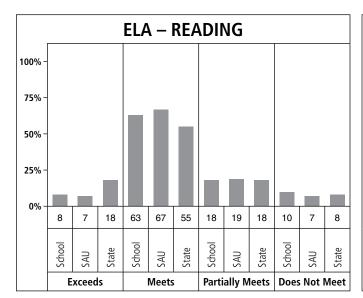
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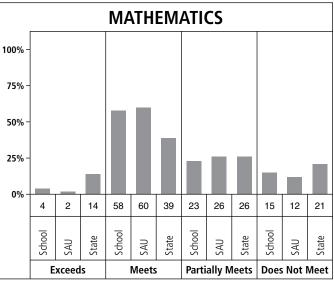
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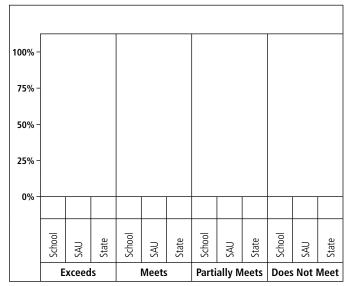
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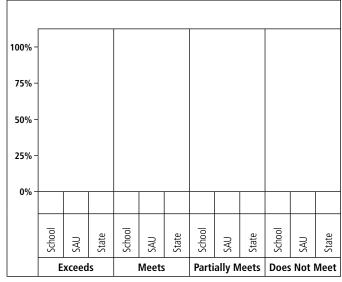
# Summary of School, SAU, and State Scores

Year	Aver	age Scaled	Score
ieai	School	SAU	State
ELA – Reading 2005–2006 2006–2007 <b>2007–2008</b> Cum. Avg.*	734 744 <b>747</b> 742	734 745 <b>747</b> 742	745 748 <b>750</b> 748
Mathematics 2005–2006 2006–2007 <b>2007–2008</b> Cum. Avg.*	732 739 <b>745</b> 739	731 740 <b>745</b> 739	740 742 <b>743</b> 742









<sup>\*</sup>Cumulative averages are weighted, i.e., the scaled scores are averaged proportionally based on the numbers of students in each year.



## **SUMMARY OF STUDENT PARTICIPATION**

Test Date: March 2008

Grade:

SAU: Calais School Department School: Calais Middle/high School

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CATEGORY OF	c	during	g test	ing v	vindo	w			ELA-F	Readin	g				Mathe	matio	cs											
PARTICIPATION	Sc	hool	S	AU	Sta	ate	Sc	hool	S	AU	St	ate	Sch	nool	s	AU	S	tate	Sch	ool	S	AU	St	ate	Sc	hool	SAU	State
	n	%	n	%	n	%	n	%	n	%	n	%	n	%	n	%	n	%	n	%	n	%	n	%	n	%	n %	n %
Total number of students	49	100	43	100	14818	100	49	100	43	100	14698	99	48	98	43	100	14694	99										
Ethnicity African American/Black	0	0	0	0	381	3	0	0	0	0	372	98	0	0	0	0	375	99										
American Indian or Native Alaskan	2	4	1	2	113	1	2	100	1	100	112	99	2	100	1	100	112	99										
Asian or Pacific Islander	0	0	0	0	219	1	0	0	0	0	213	97	0	0	0	0	217	99										
Hispanic	1	2	1	2	178	1	1	100	1	100	176	99	1	100	1	100	177	100										
Caucasian/White	46	94	41	95	13927	94	46	100	41	100	13825	99	45	98	41	100	13813	99										
Not Reported	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0										
Identified disability	10	20	7	16	2556	17	10	100	7	100	2508	99	9	90	7	100	2497	98										
Current LEP	1	2	0	0	363	2	1	100	0	0	352	97	1	100	0	0	360	99										
Economically disadvantaged	26	53	23	53	5461	37	26	100	23	100	5408	99	25	96	23	100	5406	99										
Migrant	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	100	0	0	0	0	1	100										

MODE OF		ELA-Readir	ıg		Mathematic	s						
	School	SAU	State	School	SAU	State	School	SAU	State	School	SAU	State
PARTICIPATION <sup>3</sup>	n %	n %	n %	n %	n %	n %	n %	n %	n %	n %	n %	n %
Participation without accommodations	44 90	39 91	12195 82	44 90	39 91	12215 82						
Identified disability (PET/IEP)	6 14	4 10	418 3	6 14	4 10	421 3						
LEP	1 2	0 0	183 2	1 2	0 0	183 1						
504 plan	1 2	1 3	181 1	1 2	1 3	182 1						
Participation with accommodations	5 10	4 9	2320 16	4 8	4 9	2303 16						
Identified disability (PET/IEP)	4 80	3 75	1912 82	3 75	3 75	1900 83						
LEP	0 0	0 0	159 7	0 0	0 0	173 8						
504 plan	0 0	0 0	56 2	0 0	0 0	55 2						
Other	1 20	1 25	244 11	1 25	1 25	226 10						
Participation through alternate assessment (PAAP)	0 0	0 0	178 1	0 0	0 0	176 1						
Identified disability (PET/IEP)	0 0	0 0	178 100	0 0	0 0	176 100						
LEP	0 0	0 0	5 3	0 0	0 0	4 2						
504 plan	0 0	0 0	0 0	0 0	0 0	0 0						
Approved non-participation in reading – 1st year LEP	0 0	0 0	5 0									
Approved non-participation – special consideration	0 0	0 0	27 0	0 0	0 0	28 0						
Non-participation – other	0 0	0 0	93 1	1 2	0 0	96 1						

<sup>1</sup> Percents are the percentage of students enrolled in each participation category.

<sup>2</sup> Percents are the percentage of students, including those who participated through alternate assessment (PAAP), who participated in the content area.

**<sup>3</sup>** Percents are the percentage of students in each content area by mode.



### **ELA-READING RESULTS**

Test Date: March 2008

Grade:

SAU: Calais School Department School: Calais Middle/high School

### STUDENTS AT EACH ACHIEVEMENT LEVEL

ACHIEVEMENT LEVEL DEFINITIONS		Sch	nool	SA	AU	Sta	ite
The quality of a student's work at each achievement level reflects progress in attaining Maine Level Expectations in English language arts – reading.	's Grade	N	%	N	%	N	%
Exceeds the Standards – The student's work demonstrates the ability to read and interpret literary and informational texts appropriate for the grade level by drawing in-depth inferences, analyzing texts for subtle clues, synthesizing information across texts, and using his/her knowledge of text features and literary devices to make deeper connections within or across texts to increase comprehension. (scaled score 761–780)	2005-2006	1	2	1	2	1769	11
	2006-2007	4	9	3	8	2630	18
	<b>2007-2008</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>2604</b>	<b>18</b>
	Cum. Total*	9	7	7	6	7003	16
Meets the Standards – The student's work demonstrates the ability to read and interpret literary and informational texts appropriate for the grade level by drawing inferences, summarizing main ideas and providing supporting details, connecting ideas within and across texts, and using his/her knowledge of text features and literary devices to increase comprehension. (scaled score 741–760)	2005-2006	17	40	17	40	7521	49
	2006-2007	21	48	19	49	7605	51
	<b>2007-2008</b>	<b>31</b>	<b>63</b>	<b>29</b>	<b>67</b>	<b>8049</b>	<b>55</b>
	Cum. Total*	69	51	65	52	23175	52
Partially Meets the Standards – The student's work demonstrates an inconsistent ability to read and interpret literary and informational texts appropriate for the grade level. The student's ability to draw inferences, summarize main ideas and provide supporting details, connect ideas within and across texts, and use his/her knowledge of text features and literary devices varies depending on the texts. (scaled score 729–740)	2005-2006	10	23	9	21	3773	24
	2006-2007	10	23	10	26	3000	20
	<b>2007-2008</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>18</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>19</b>	<b>2672</b>	<b>18</b>
	Cum. Total*	29	21	27	22	9445	21
<b>Does Not Meet the Standards</b> – The student's work demonstrates a limited ability to read and interpret literary and informational texts appropriate for the grade level. The student's responses are often vague or incorrect leaving the impression that the student found it difficult to draw inferences, summarize main ideas and provide supporting details, connect ideas within and across texts, or use his/her knowledge of text features and literary devices to support comprehension. (scaled score 700–728)	2005-2006	15	35	15	36	2399	16
	2006-2007	9	20	7	18	1620	11
	<b>2007-2008</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>1190</b>	<b>8</b>
	Cum. Total*	29	21	25	20	5209	12

		nber	A	verage Poir	nts Attaine	d (Number	and Percer	nt)
Learning Results Content Standard Cluster	-	oints sible	Sch	ool	SA	ΑU	Sta	ite
	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%
Total Reading Cluster	56	100	33.5	59.8	34.1	60.9	35.3	63.0
Literary Text	28	50	16.2	57.9	16.3	58.2	17.3	61.8
Informational Text	28	50	17.3	61.8	17.8	63.6	18.0	64.3

The Maine Learning Results reading cluster includes Content Standards A (Process of Reading), B (Literature and Culture), and D (Informational Texts). The MEA assesses students' reading skills based on questions related to two types of reading passages: literary and informational. Passages include both long and short texts, selected from developmentally appropriate works. Items on the MEA measure Grade Level Expectations, based on Maine's 1997 Learning Results, which can be found at http://www.maine.gov/education/lsalt/gles.htm.



# **ELA-READING RESULTS**

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Test Date: March 2008 7

**Grade:** 

**Calais School Department** SAU: Calais Middle/high School School:

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REPORTING		I			Scr	nool		1					SA	AU .					Sta	ate	i	
CATEGORIES	Tested		E		М		P		D	Mean Scaled Score	Tested	E	М	P	D	Mean Scaled Score	Tested	E	М	Р	D	Mean Scaled Score
	N	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	Score	N	%	%	%	%	Score	N	%	%	%	%	Jour
All Students	49	4	8	31	63	9	18	5	10	747	43	7	67	19	7	747	14515	18	55	18	8	750
Ethnicity African American/Black American Indian or Native Alaskan Asian or Pacific Islander Hispanic Caucasian/White Not Reported	0 2 0 1 46	4	9	30	65	8	17	4	9	747	0 1 0 1 41 0	7	68	17	7	748	365 110 211 173 13656 0	10 6 26 12 18	49 52 47 54 56	19 24 20 18 18	22 18 6 15 8	742 744 752 746 750
Identified disability Yes No	10 39	1 3	10 8	2 29	20 74	2 7	20 18	5 0	50 0	734 750	7 36	14 6	29 75	14 19	43 0	737 749	2330 12185	2 21	30 60	36 15	32 4	735 753
Current LEP Yes No	1 48	4	8	31	65	9	19	4	8	747	0 43	7	67	19	7	747	342 14173	8 18	46 56	22 18	24 8	741 750
Economically disadvantaged Yes No	26 23	1 3	4 13	14 17	54 74	6 3	23 13	5 0	19 0	742 752	23 20	4 10	61 75	22 15	13 0	744 751	5299 9216	9 23	51 58	26 14	14 5	745 753
Migrant Yes No	0 49	4	8	31	63	9	18	5	10	747	0 43	7	67	19	7	747	1 14514	18	55	18	8	750
Gender Female Male Not Reported	21 28 0	3 1	14 4	17 14	81 50	1 8	5 29	0 5	0 18	754 742	19 24 0	11 4	84 54	5 29	0 13	753 743	7084 7431 0	24 12	55 56	15 21	6 11	752 747
Title 1A targeted program Yes No	0 49	4	8	31	63	9	18	5	10	747	0 43	7	67	19	7	747	946 13569	6 19	47 56	34 17	12 8	743 750
Gifted/talented program Yes No	0 49	4	8	31	63	9	18	5	10	747	0 43	7	67	19	7	747	574 13941	61 16	38 56	1 19	0 9	765 749

E = Exceeds the Standards M = Meets the Standards P = Partially Meets the Standards D = Does Not Meet the Standards

**NOTE:** Some achievement level results have been left blank because fewer than five (5) students were tested.



# **ELA-READING RESULTS**

(QUESTIONNAIRE ITEMS)

Test Date: March 2008

Grade: 7

SAU: **Calais School Department** Calais Middle/high School School:

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QUESTIONNAIRE ITEMS	Students in Each Category		E	ı	М		P		D	Mean Scaled Score	Students in Each Category	E	М	Р	D	Mean Scaled Score	Students in Each Category	E	М	P	D	Mean Scaled Score
	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	Jeore	%	%	%	%	%	JCOIC	%	%	%	%	%	Jene
How much homework do you do on school nights? A. none B. less than one hour C. one to two hours D. more than two hours	18 33 47 2	0 0 4 0	0 0 17 0	3 10 18 0	33 63 78 0	2 5 1	22 31 4 100	4 1 0 0	44 6 0 0	733 745 754 734	14 37 47 2	0 0 15 0	50 63 80 0	17 31 5 100	33 6 0	736 745 753 734	6 50 40 4	9 17 20 19	42 56 58 49	24 19 16 21	25 8 6 11	741 750 752 749
How well do the questions that you have just been given on this																						
MEA test match what you have learned in school about reading?  A. The questions on the test match what I have learned in reading class.  B. They match some of what I have learned.  C. They match just a little of what I have learned.  D. There is no match.	33 41 16 10	2 1 1 0	13 5 13 0	9 14 4 4	56 70 50 80	2 3 3 1	13 15 38 20	3 2 0 0	19 10 0 0	745 746 749 750	33 42 16 9	7 6 14 0	64 72 43 100	14 17 43 0	14 6 0 0	746 747 749 752	36 50 11 3	24 16 13 4	58 58 45 35	14 19 26 29	5 8 16 31	753 749 745 737
Which of the following best describes how you rate yourself as a student in reading?																						
B. good C. fair D. poor	31 55 10 4	3 1 0	20 4 0 0	9 18 3 1	60 67 60 50	1 5 2 1	7 19 40 50	2 3 0 0	13 11 0 0	750 745 747 747	30 56 12 2	23 0 0 0	62 71 60 100	8 21 40 0	8 8 0 0	751 745 747 754	28 52 18 2	35 15 3 2	52 60 49 41	9 18 33 28	5 7 15 29	756 750 742 738
How difficult was the reading part of this test?  A. harder than my regular schoolwork  B. about the same as my regular schoolwork  C. easier than my regular schoolwork	18 49 33	1 2 1	11 8 6	3 16 12	33 67 75	2 4 3	22 17 19	3 2 0	33 8 0	740 748 749	14 51 35	17 5 7	33 73 73	17 18 20	33 5 0	741 748 748	16 65 19	13 18 21	48 57 57	23 18 16	16 7 6	745 750 752
How difficult were the reading passages on this test?  A. Most of the passages were more difficult than what I normally read.  B. Most of the passages were about the same as what I normally read.  C. Most of the passages were easier than what I normally read.	6 49 45	0 3 1	0 13 5	1 11 19	33 46 86	1 6 2	33 25 9	1 4 0	33 17 0	740 744 750	5 47 49	0 10 5	50 50 86	0 30 10	50 10 0	740 745 750	9 55 36	5 14 28	38 57 58	29 22 10	28 7 4	738 748 755
How hard did you try on the reading part of this test?  A. I tried harder on this test than I do on my regular schoolwork.  B. I tried about the same as I do on my regular schoolwork.  C. I did not try as hard on this test as I do on my regular schoolwork.	35 57 8	3 1 0	18 4 0	10 20 1	59 71 25	3 4 2	18 14 50	1 3 1	6 11 25	750 746 739	37 56 7	13 4 0	63 75 33	19 13 67	6 8 0	749 747 745	44 51 5	18 19 9	56 56 46	18 17 26	8 7 19	750 751 743
How much time do you spend reading at home each day?  A. more than one hour  B. 20 minutes to an hour  C. less than 20 minutes  D. I rarely read at home.	29 33 6 33	1 1 0 2	7 6 0 13	10 10 2 9	71 63 67 56	2 4 1 2	14 25 33 13	1 1 0 3	7 6 0 19	747 747 746 747	30 35 7 28	0 7 0 17	77 60 67 67	15 27 33 8	8 7 0 8	746 746 746 751	17 45 13 24	25 22 14 8	57 56 56 53	13 16 21 26	6 6 9 13	753 752 748 745
Optional school/SAU question A. B. C. D.	0 0 0 0					_					0 0 0 0		G,		Ç.			C .			.0	7.6

E = Exceeds the Standards M = Meets the Standards P = Partially Meets the Standards D = Does Not Meet the Standards N = Number

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### **MATHEMATICS RESULTS**

Test Date: March 2008

Grade:

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### STUDENTS AT EACH ACHIEVEMENT LEVEL

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ACHIEVEMENT LEVEL DEFINITIONS		Sch	iool	SA	AU	Sta	ite
The quality of a student's work at each achievement level reflects progress in attaining Maine's Level Expectations in mathematics.	s Grade	N	%	N	%	N	%
Exceeds the Standards – The student's work demonstrates in-depth understanding of essential concepts in mathematics, including the ability to make multiple connections among central ideas. The student's responses demonstrate the ability to synthesize information; analyze and solve difficult problems, including developing and implementing strategies, efficiently and accurately performing procedures, and recording and justifying solutions; and explain complex concepts. (scaled score 761–780)	2005-2006	1	2	1	2	1646	11
	2006-2007	4	9	3	8	2142	14
	<b>2007-2008</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>2028</b>	<b>14</b>
	Cum. Total*	7	5	5	4	5816	13
Meets the Standards – The student's work demonstrates a general understanding of essential concepts in mathematics, including the ability to make connections among central ideas. The student's responses demonstrate the ability to analyze and solve problems including developing and implementing strategies, to perform procedures, and to record and explain solutions and concepts. The student's work may contain minor errors. (scaled score 741–760)	2005-2006	14	33	13	31	5497	36
	2006-2007	17	39	17	44	5642	38
	<b>2007-2008</b>	<b>28</b>	<b>58</b>	<b>26</b>	<b>60</b>	<b>5703</b>	<b>39</b>
	Cum. Total*	59	44	56	45	16842	38
Partially Meets the Standards – The student's work demonstrates incomplete understanding of essential concepts in mathematics and inconsistent connections among central ideas. The student's responses demonstrate some ability to analyze and solve problems, and explain concepts. Problem solving strategies may be flawed, procedures performed inaccurately, methods not recorded and/or problems not completed. (scaled score 727–740)	2005-2006	12	28	12	29	4514	29
	2006-2007	10	23	9	23	4077	27
	<b>2007-2008</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>23</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>26</b>	<b>3733</b>	<b>26</b>
	Cum. Total*	33	24	32	26	12324	27
Does Not Meet the Standards – The student's work demonstrates limited understanding of essential concepts in mathematics and infrequent or inaccurate connections among central ideas. The student's responses demonstrate minimal ability to solve problems and explain concepts. Problem solving strategies and procedures are often flawed or inappropriate and there may be many omissions. (scaled score 700–726)	2005-2006	16	37	16	38	3797	25
	2006-2007	13	30	10	26	3001	20
	<b>2007-2008</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>3054</b>	<b>21</b>
	Cum. Total*	36	27	31	25	9852	22

		nber	Avera	age Point	s Attaine	d (Numbe	r and Pe	rcent)
Learning Results Content Standard Clusters		oints sible	Sch	iool	SA	<b>NU</b>	St	ate
	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%
Cluster 1: Numbers and Operations	16	29	8.8	55.0	8.8	55.0	8.8	55.0
Cluster 2: Shape and Size	14	25	5.6	40.0	5.7	40.7	5.5	39.3
Cluster 3: Mathematical Decision Making	8	14	3.7	46.3	3.7	46.3	3.5	43.8
Cluster 4: Patterns	18	32	8.6	47.8	8.7	48.3	7.9	43.9

#### **Cluster 1: Numbers and Operations**

- A. Numbers and Number Sense
- B. Computation
- I. Discrete Mathematics (grades 3 and 4 only)

#### Cluster 2: Shape and Size

- E. Geometry
- F. Measurement

### **Cluster 3: Mathematical Decision Making**

- C. Data Analysis and Statistics
- D. Probability

#### **Cluster 4: Patterns**

- G. Patterns, Relations, and Functions
- H. Algebra Concepts
- K. Mathematical Communication

Each content standard in the clusters above is defined in Maine's 1997 *Learning Results*, which are the basis for Grade Level Expectations. Each item on the MEA measures a grade level expectation, which can be found at http://www.maine.gov/education/lsalt/gles.htm.

<sup>\*</sup>Percentages are calculated by dividing the cumulative total of the number of students in the achievement level by the cumulative total of the number of students tested.



# **MATHEMATICS RESULTS**

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Test Date: March 2008

Grade:

SAU: Calais School Department School: Calais Middle/high School

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DEDORTING					Sch	ool							SA	AU .					Sta	ate		
REPORTING CATEGORIES	Tested		E	ı	М		Р	ı	D	Mean Scaled	Tested	E	М	Р	D	Mean Scaled	Tested	E	М	P	D	Mean Scaled
	N	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	Score	N	%	%	%	%	Score	N	%	%	%	%	Score
All Students	48	2	4	28	58	11	23	7	15	745	43	2	60	26	12	745	14518	14	39	26	21	743
Ethnicity African American/Black American Indian or Native Alaskan Asian or Pacific Islander Hispanic Caucasian/White Not Reported	0 2 0 1 45	2	4	27	60	10	22	6	13	746	0 1 0 1 41 0	2	61	24	12	745	372 110 216 175 13645 0	5 5 25 9 14	24 30 34 32 40	25 36 23 30 26	45 29 18 29 20	731 736 748 737 743
Identified disability Yes No	9 39	0 2	0 5	2 26	22 67	2 9	22 23	5 2	56 5	730 748	7 36	0 3	29 67	29 25	43 6	734 747	2321 12197	2 16	16 44	26 26	55 15	727 746
Current LEP Yes No	1 47	2	4	28	60	11	23	6	13	745	0 43	2	60	26	12	745	356 14162	7 14	23 40	24 26	45 20	731 743
Economically disadvantaged Yes No	25 23	0 2	0 9	11 17	44 74	8 3	32 13	6 1	24 4	739 751	23 20	0 5	48 75	35 15	17 5	741 750	5301 9217	5 19	31 44	31 23	33 14	736 747
Migrant Yes No	0 48	2	4	28	58	11	23	7	15	745	0 43	2	60	26	12	745	1 14517	14	39	26	21	743
Gender Female Male Not Reported	21 27 0	1 1	5 4	14 14	67 52	5 6	24 22	1 6	5 22	748 742	19 24 0	5 0	63 58	26 25	5 17	747 743	7086 7432 0	14 14	40 38	26 25	20 22	743 743
Title 1A targeted program Yes No	0 48	2	4	28	58	11	23	7	15	745	0 43	2	60	26	12	745	946 13572	4 15	23 40	36 25	37 20	733 743
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**NOTE:** Some achievement level results have been left blank because fewer than five (5) students were tested.

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# **MATHEMATICS RESULTS**

(QUESTIONNAIRE ITEMS)

Test Date: March 2008

Grade: 7

SAU: **Calais School Department** School: Calais Middle/high School

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QUESTIONNAIRE ITEMS	Students in Each Category	1	E		И		P	ı	D	Mean Scaled Score	Students in Each Category	E	М	P	D	Mean Scaled Score	Students in Each Category	E	М	Р	D	Mean Scaled
	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	Score	%	%	%	%	%	Score	%	%	%	%	%	Score
How much homework do you do on school nights? A. none B. less than one hour C. one to two hours D. more than two hours	17 33 48 2	0 0 2 0	0 0 9 0	2 10 16 0	25 63 70 0	2 4 4 1	25 25 17 100	4 2 1 0	50 13 4 0	731 744 751 732	14 37 47 2	0 0 5 0	33 63 70 0	33 25 20 100	33 13 5 0	735 744 750 732	6 50 40 4	7 13 15 16	29 39 42 37	26 26 26 23	37 22 17 24	734 742 744 742
How well do the questions that you have just been given on this MEA test match what you have learned in school about mathematics?  A. The questions on the test match what I have learned in mathematics	38	0	0	10	56	6	33	2	11	743	42	0	56	33	11	743	32	21	40	23	16	747
class.  B. They match some of what I have learned.  C. They match just a little of what I have learned.  D. There is no match.	46 13 4	2 0 0	9 0 0	14 4 0	64 67 0	2 2 1	9 33 50	4 0 1	18 0 50	746 747 732	44 12 2	5 0 0	68 60 0	11 40 100	16 0 0	747 747 738	50 15 3	12 7 4	42 32 17	27 31 21	19 30 58	743 737 726
Which of the following best describes how you rate yourself as a student in mathematics?  A. very good  B. good  C. fair	27 44 19	1 0 1	8 0 11	8 14 5	62 67 56	2 4 3	15 19 33	2 3 0	15 14 0	747 744 748	30 44 16	8 0 0	62 68 57	15 21 43	15 11 0	747 746 744	25 47 23	34 10 3	42 45 30	13 27 36	11 18 32	753 743 735
D. poor	10	0	0	1	20	2	40	2	40	733	9	0	25	50	25	735	5	1	17	32	49	729
How difficult was the mathematics part of this test?  A. harder than my regular schoolwork  B. about the same as my regular schoolwork  C. easier than my regular schoolwork	38 56 6	0 2 0	0 7 0	9 16 3	50 59 100	6 5 0	33 19 0	3 4 0	17 15 0	743 744 757	37 56 7	0 4 0	50 63 100	38 21 0	13 13 0	744 745 757	36 53 11	6 13 40	38 42 32	29 27 15	27 18 13	738 744 753
How hard did you try on the mathematics part of this test?  A. I tried harder on this test than I do on my regular schoolwork.  B. I tried about the same as I do on my regular schoolwork.  C. I did not try as hard on this test as I do on my regular schoolwork.	46 54 0	1 1	5 4	12 16	55 62	4 7	18 27	5 2	23 8	742 747	47 53 0	5 0	50 70	20 30	25 0	741 749	46 49 5	12 16 10	40 40 27	27 25 27	21 19 36	742 744 736
How often do you use laptops in mathematics class? A. almost every day B. two or three days a week C. two or three times each month D. never or almost never	23 15 23 40	1 0 1 0	9 0 9 0	8 5 6 9	73 71 55 47	1 2 3 5	9 29 27 26	1 0 1 5	9 0 9 26	749 751 746 739	21 16 26 37	0 0 9 0	78 71 55 50	11 29 27 31	11 0 9 19	748 751 746 740	9 20 30 41	15 13 15 13	37 41 40 39	25 26 27 26	23 20 18 23	742 743 744 742
How often do you use calculators in mathematics class?  A. almost every day  B. two or three days a week  C. two or three times a month  D. never or almost never	2 25 46 27	0 2 0 0	0 17 0	0 4 19 5	0 33 86 38	1 4 2 4	100 33 9 31	0 2 1 4	0 17 5 31	738 743 751 735	2 26 44 28	0 9 0	0 36 89 42	100 36 11 33	0 18 0 25	738 741 752 738	20 29 26 24	17 16 13 10	39 40 40 39	23 25 28 27	22 19 20 24	744 744 743 740
On average, how many minutes a day do you spend working on mathematics in class? A. less than 30 minutes B. 30–45 minutes C. 45–60 minutes	9 26 23	0 0 0	0 0 0	2 6 7	50 50 64	1 3 3	25 25 27	1 3 1	25 25 9	739 739 747	7 24 26	0 0 0	67 50 64	33 30 27	0 20 9	743 741 747	8 41 41	7 12 17	32 38 42	26 27 24	35 23 16	736 741 745
D. more than 60 minutes	43	2	10	12	60	4	20	2	10	748	43	6	61	22	11	746	10	15	38	25	22	743
Optional school/SAU question A. B. C. D.	0 0 0 0										0 0 0 0											

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